## Human Resources

Budget Presentation to County Commissioners



#### HR is a Service and Internal Support Department

- HR is a joint department serving both the City and the County
- Our services are in general dictated by other department's needs, both planned and unplanned...
- We are impacted and involved in any growth or progress experienced by any City or County departments.



#### 6 Divisions in Human Resources

- Employment, Employee Relations & Training
- Compensation, Classification and Labor Relations
- Benefits
- HR Operations
- Police and Fire Pension (City only)
- Risk Management (City only)



# Human Resources continues to focus on Innovative and Operational Excellence

- Strategies that are elevated within this budget due to pandemic:
  - Provide services and support to employees and Human Resources departments in the community during this pandemic.
  - HR and Risk serve the employees that serve the citizens of this community and county!



# During the Covid-19 Pandemic our department shifted our support by developing and administering:

- Telework policy to enable many employees to work from home
- Paid Pandemic Leave policy to financially support our employees
- Extended Family Medical Leave Act as required by the Families First Coronavirus Response Act
- Emergency Paid Sick Leave as required by the FFCRA
- Additionally we created or gave input into numerous other internal policies and directives to support and protect our employees.



#### Additional focus on Operational Excellence

 Human Resources has been extremely busy with the installation of the Oracle HCM system that is replacing the Tesseract Payroll System. This install process is essentially full-time work for about 4.5 FTEs in the HR department. These staffs have also had their normal responsibilities to maintain during this time.



### HR & Risk Budget At A Glance

HR Base Budget FY 19-20 \$1,430,878

HR Base Budget FY 20-21 \$1,456,306

County \$411, 957
Public Building Commission \$29,476



#### **Budget Explanation**

- Significant Changes
  - Increase in Other Services and Charges



#### **Staffing Compliment**

- We have 1.0 FTE that is vacant and will hold filling until the next fiscal year
  - (\$11,774)
- Currently we have 15 FTE's dedicated to the HR functional areas
- In Risk Management we have 6 FTEs to manage City Risk functions
- HR to staff ratio is 0.49 per 100 employees
  - National average is 1.03 per 100 employees\*





#### **Employee Benefits**

- Health Insurance Explanations of Coverage, Claims support
- Dental Insurance
- Vision Insurance
- 125 (c) Flexible Spending (health care and dependent care reimbursement)
- Life Insurance
- Long Term Disability
- COBRA and Retiree Health Insurance
- Post Employment Health Plan Benefits
- 457 Deferred Compensation
- Retirement Plans
- Voluntary Benefits
- ACA implementation and "look back" process
- IRS 1095 C Forms to all employees
- OPEB Liability Calculations



#### **HR Operations Activities**

- Processed over 4500 Personnel Actions
- Processed 68 unemployment compensation claims
- Facilitated 16 different training sessions
- Heavily involved in the Oracle HCM build process



#### Compensation and Classification

- 46 classification audits for the 2019 calendar year.
- 50 + classification revisions.
- 30+ individual classification comparability studies.
- 25 market surveys completed (other cities or counties, dept. of labor etc.)
- 5 union comparability studies.
- Preparations for City and County labor contract negotiations through out the year. In 2021 we will have 4 County union contracts to negotiate.



#### **Employment**

- Develop supplemental questions for applications
- Recruitment activities
- 1036 full time and part time hires for City and County (includes all hires)
- Interviewing of candidates
- Processed over 14,100 applications (score and certify lists)
- Drug & Alcohol Testing (507 tests performed in 2019)
- Exit Surveys conducted on all voluntary separations
- Training



#### **Employment**

#### Promotional Testing

- Fire Apparatus Operator
- Fire Captain
- Battalion Chief
- Police Sergeant
- Police Captain
- Emergency Service Dispatcher III
- Fire Prevention Inspector
- Public Works-Water



#### **Employee Relations City & County 2019**

- 167 separate disciplinary actions
- 25 written reprimand appeals
- 12 investigations (sexual harassment, inappropriate conduct etc.)
- Grievances
- 2 Arbitrations
- 2 RIFs (Reduction in Force) actions



### Questions?

